

TO APPROVE THE FUNDS AND BUDGET FOR THE TALENT SEARCH PROGRAM

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

ANTHONY DILLARD INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE the September 1, 2016 to August 31,2017 funds and budget for the United States Department of Education for the Talent Search Program.

WHEREAS, the Choctaw Nation has been awarded a grant by the United States Department of Education in the amount of \$240,000 to assist individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds who have the potential to succeed in higher education; and

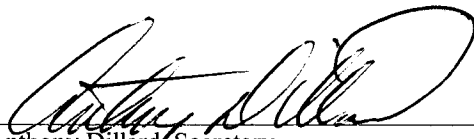
WHEREAS, the total federal budget is \$240,000 with no required match; and

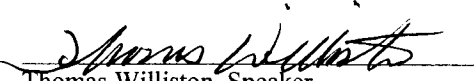
WHEREAS, funds for the Talent Search Program from the United States Department of Education will assist the Choctaw Nation in identifying and assisting middle and high school students that have the potential to succeed in higher education with academic, career and financial counseling/guidance services, and encouraging them to graduate high school and continue on to a postsecondary education.

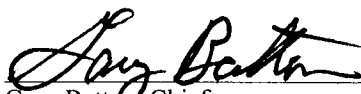
THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Bill be cited as approval to accept and approve the funds and budget for the United States Department of Education for the Talent Search Program.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as speaker of the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of twelve (12) seats. Eight (8) members must be present to constitute a quorum. I further certify that eleven (11) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tuskahoma, Oklahoma on September 10, 2016. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 155-16 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of eleven (11) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.

  
Anthony Dillard, Secretary  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Thomas Williston, Speaker  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Gary Battar, Chief  
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 9-14-16